



NOTICE OF RACE

OPEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP OF GREECE

WINDSURFING CLASSES: TECHNO U15, TECHNO U17, TECHNO PLUS

Athens, Nautical Club of Vouliagmeni,

27 – 30 April 2018

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY.

The Nautical Club of Vouliagmeni

2. RULES

The event will be governed by :

- The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 (World sailing).
- The National Authority prescriptions 2, and 3 shall apply for the Open National Championship of Greece.
- The Class rules (unless otherwise modified by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions).
- This Notice of Race.
- The Sailing Instructions.
- All competitors shall be required to wear an adequate personal floatation device at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment.
- If there is a conflict between languages the English text shall take precedence.

3. ADVERTISING

The World Sailing Advertising Code, Regulation 20 shall apply. Boats may be required to display a bow number and advertisement of the event sponsor on either side on the forward 25% of the hull. Sailboards may be required to display such number and advertising on either side of the sail above the wishbone. Boats authorized to have advertising must present the permission of their National Authority.

4. CATEGORIES

This regatta is open to the following CATEGORIES:

Techno U15

Techno U17

Techno Plus

5. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRIES

5.1 Greek competitors should hold a valid EIO card. This card must be submitted to the Registration Office at Registration.

5.2 Foreign competitors shall be in compliance with their respective national rules.

5.3 Entries (registration **FORM 1**) shall be made by email (nov@nov.gr) no later than April 20, 2018.

6. ENTRY FEE

The required fee is 20 €. Entry fee shall be paid cash at registration upon arrival.

7. SCHEDULE OF RACES

7.1 For Techno U15, Techno U17, Techno Plus

Friday 27 th of April	09:00 – 11:00	Registration
Friday 27 th of April	12:00	RACES
Saturday 28 th of April	11:00	RACES
Sunday 29 th of April	11:00	RACES
Monday 30 th of April	11:00	RACES

7.2 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15:30 hrs, except in as a consequence of a General Recall.

8. RACING FORMAT

Courses will be of the same, as possible, configuration as those proposed for the Olympic Games. Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

9. SAIL NUMBERS

9.1 Boats shall use the approved Nationality Code Letters on their sails as required by Appendix G.

9.2 Competitors may be required to install ribbons on their sails (which will be provided by Organizing Authority).

10. SAFETY

Personal buoyancy is mandatory for every competitor and support boat Crew member. Every competitor and support boat crew member shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50), or as specified in the SI's.

11. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

A boat or equipment may be inspected by the Technical Committee at any time for compliance

with the class rules and sailing instructions. On the water, a boat can be instructed by the Technical Committee to proceed immediately to a designated area for inspection.

12. SCORING SYSTEM

12.1 The low - Point Scoring System will apply. The points of each boat will be the sum of its points in the overall ranking.

12.2 12 races are scheduled. Scoring will be according to WCR appendix A as amended by **Championship Rule 13.5** for discards: for 'fleet' racing there will be one discard after 4 races have been completed, and a second discard after 11 races have been completed.

13. ARBITRATION SYSTEM

The penalty, following the ARBITRATION procedure (WCR 2017 – 2020 APENDIX T) may be less than disqualification.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate to the Open National Championship of Greece at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority and all parties involved in the regatta organization will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with the regatta or the venue that may occur to any person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat prior to, during, or after the Open National Championship of Greece.

The Organizing Authority disclaims any and all such liability.

15. INSURANCE

Competitors will participate to the Open National Championship of Greece entirely at their own risk. The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for personal or material damage, injury or death, sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the Open National Championship of Greece. The Organizing Authority disclaims any and all such liability. For each competing boat at least a valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of not less than **540.000 Euros** shall be in existence for the entire duration of the Open National Championship of Greece. It shall be the sole responsibility of the competitor to have such insurance cover and provide written proof thereof to the Organizing Authority upon request. Third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 540.000 Euros, The original document issued by the insurance company must be presented at the registration desk.

16. RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

A competitor participating to the Open National Championship of Greece, automatically grants to the Organizing Authority and the sponsors of Open National Championship of Greece, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her and his/hers activities during the period of the competition for the said Open National Championship of Greece in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Open National Championship of Greece without compensation.

17. SUPPORT BOATS

17.1 Support/coach boats must register the same time as the racing boats at the Race Office. All support boats must present at the registration desk a third party liability insurance with the minimum cover of 540.000 Euros, original insurance-policy and motorboat driving license recognized by a State authority.

17.2 According to the HSF National Prescription 1, all coaches and other support personnel shall wear personal floatation devices at all times while afloat and the engine Auto – Stop cord line.

18. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

Prizes will be awarded to the first three competitors of each properly constituted division. Information about the prize giving ceremony will be announced on the notice board.

19. EVENT AREA

Nautical Club of Vouliagmeni, Lemos Vouliagmeni, Athens, Greece

<https://www.google.de/maps/place/Ναυτικός+Όμιλος+Βουλιαγμένης/@37.809531,23.774363,15z/data>

20. ACCOMMODATION

In a distance of 1500 meters there is a variety of hotels that the guests are able to search through the booking.com or other hotel searching engines.

21. STORAGE COMPETITORS EQUIPMENT AND COACH BOATS

21.1 Competitors may store their equipment on the racks of the club.

21.2 Coaches may moor their ribs at the port of the club.

22. PARKING CARS AND TRAILERS

22.1 The entrance for trailers through the main gate of the club is permitted during the hours: 07:00 – 09:00 am. For a different time, teams may contact the information of the club.

22.2 Trailers can be stored in the club only during the event (for early arrivals please contact the office of the club).

22.3 Only cars that carry equipment have a temporary permission of 5-10 minutes in the parking of the club.

22.4 See attached diagram the parking spots of the area.

23. INFORMATION

23.1 Registration will take place in the race office at the race venue.

23.2 For further information please contact **by email:** nov@nov.gr

tel: +302108962416, fax: +30218964022

MORE INFORMATION

A. CLUB INFO

Nautical Club of Vouliagmeni, Lemos Vouliagmeni, Athens, Greece

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B. EARLY ARRIVALS

Competitors arriving early are advised that support from the organizers can be arranged, in advance. Please contact: nov@nov.gr

C. PREVAILING CONDITIONS

Wind: 5 - 25 knots. Water temperature: 17C. Air temperature: 15C to 24C.

E. TRANSFERS

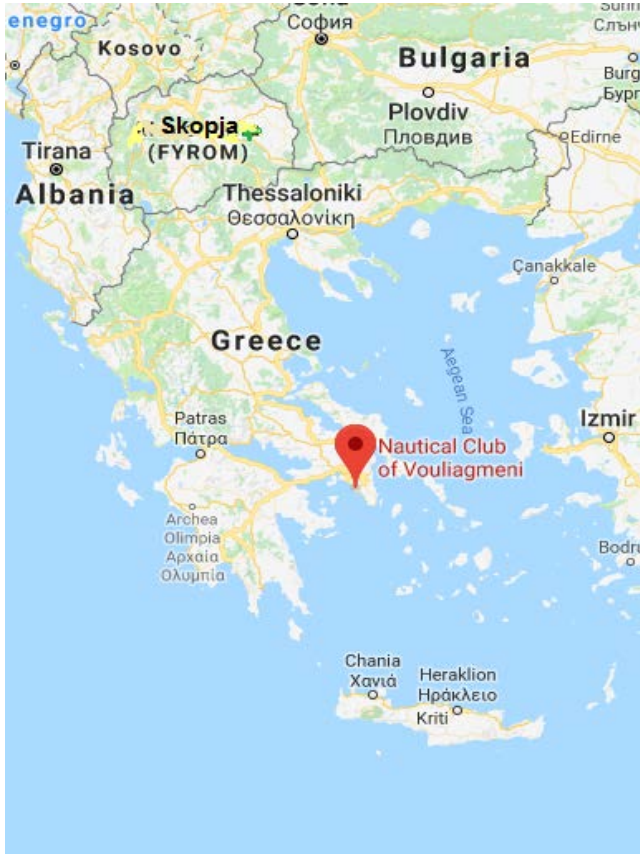
Transfers from/to (ATH) ATHENS AIRPORT can be arranged

To Booking please contact: nov@nov.gr

F. COACH RIBS RENTAL

Charter ribs are available.

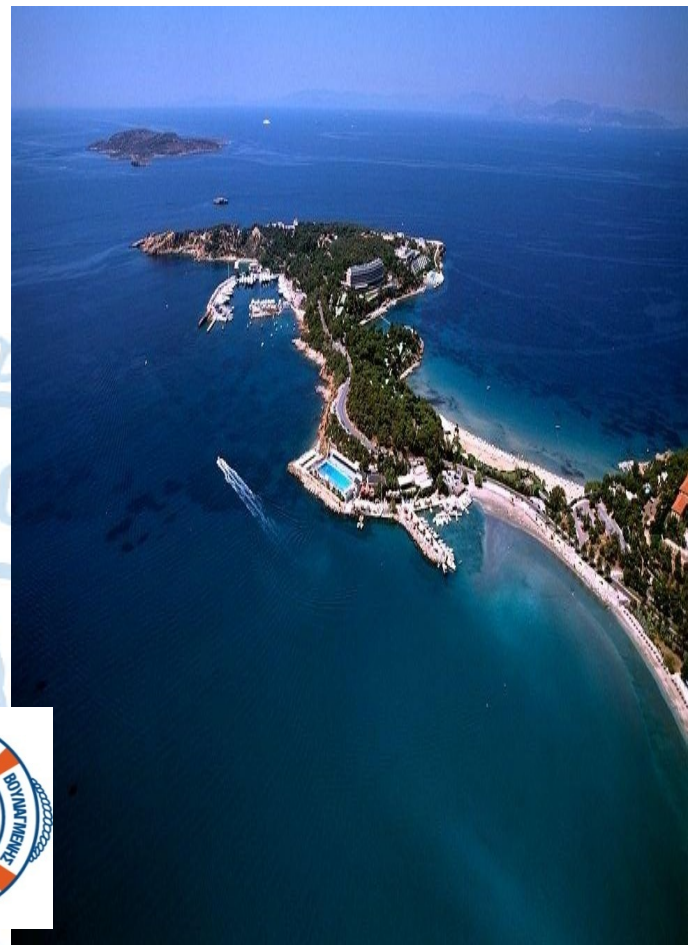
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PARKING SPOTS



WELCOME



REGISTRATION FORM

On behalf

SAILORS NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	AM EIO (Greek sailors only)	SAIL NUMBER	DICIPLINE & SAIL SIZE

Nautical Club of Vouliagmeni

Dear Sir or Madam,

Please register the competitors below of the club

for the Greek *National Championship 27 – 30 April 2018*

I have taken note of all the paragraphs of the Notice of Race and especially of the paragraph 11. that says that I participate to the Open National Championship of Greece at my own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority and all parties involved in the regatta organization will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with the regatta or the venue that may occur to any person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat prior to, during, or after the Open National Championship of Greece.

Signature:

date:

Coach

Mobile:

E MAIL:

